



CITY OF NEWPORT BEACH
City Manager's Newsletter

TO: Mayor Muldoon & Council Members

FROM: Dave Kiff, City Manager

DATE: July 7, 2017

Please enjoy the attached newsletters...



COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

To: Dave Kiff, City Manager

From: Kimberly Brandt, Community Development Director

Subject: City Manager's Newsletter

Date: July 7, 2017

Newport Veterans Project - Veterans and Senior Housing

Building permits were issued this week for the Newport Veterans affordable housing project, allowing for the rehabilitation of an existing 12-unit apartment building located at 6001 Coast Boulevard. In November 2016, the City Council reviewed and unanimously approved approximately \$2 million in funding to assist with acquisition costs. Community Development Partners (CDP), in partnership with Mercy Housing, will completely renovate the interiors of each unit and exterior façade of the 49-year old complex for occupancy by lower-income veteran and senior households. Project financing was made available through a combination of the awards and financing by the City, County, and State, as well as Citi Community Capital, AHP, and CalHFA. Construction is anticipated to be completed early 2018. The renovation of the aging apartment building will provide an aesthetic enhancement to the community, while providing for a special housing need in the City with services in place to support the needs and long-term care of the residents.





COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT



Leslie Duarte is Retiring!

Permit Technician Leslie Duarte is retiring after working for the City of Newport Beach for the past 24 years. She particularly enjoyed assisting in building our community through lasting friendships, both personal and professional. She truly appreciated the City's reorganization, by insisting everything was for the best.

She will miss the daily camaraderie, customer interactions, employee events and workshops, mixed with the opening of the new Civic

Center. The community of friends and professionals she built formed close bonds. Leslie is still friends with Ellen Formica who retired from the City around 1994. They get together at least once a year and Leslie plans on visiting us regularly. Congratulations to Leslie on her retirement!



New Student Aide Savannah Martinez

The Community Development Department is pleased to introduce new hire Savannah Martinez. Savannah is a Student Aide and she will be working in the Permit Center in Bay C.

Savannah is a student at Santiago Canyon College in Orange pursuing an A.A. with the intention of transferring to a university. Her long-term goal is to pursue a degree in business. Savannah has quite a bit of experience in the retail sector and she says that her interest in working in an office setting (as well as the proximity to the beach and Fashion Island) is what prompted her to pursue the Student Aide position.

After some intense interrogation, Savannah admitted to her secret talent and interest in special effects make up. Next time you are in Bay C, please stop by the concierge desk and extend Savannah a warm welcome to the City.





COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Seminar with Dr. Michael D. Engelhardt

The Building Division hosted a free workshop on June 28 with Michael D. Engelhardt, Ph.D., P.E. He discussed the behavior and design of steel moment frames for seismic resistance. Fifty-five members of the design community attended and were very impressed with the clear presentation of a difficult subject.



Short-Term Lodging Enforcement Update

This spring, the City hired San Francisco-based Host Compliance to monitor online vacation rental sites for listings in Newport Beach. As a result of this service, City enforcement staff have identified over 100 properties that were offering short-term lodging in the R-1 zoning districts. Eighty identified properties have taken down their listings and ceased all short-term rental activity. Additionally, the City has identified at least 50 properties that are being used for short-term rentals without the required permit and approvals from the City. The property owners have been contacted and asked to either obtain the required permits or stop renting on a short-term basis. The City's enforcement efforts were recently highlighted in an article by the Orange County Register: <http://www.ocregister.com/2017/06/28/newport-beach-beefing-up-enforcement-of-short-term-rentals-for-summer/>

Code Enforcement staff have also partnered with the Newport Beach Police Department to identify vacation rentals that are not being operated in compliance with the short-term lodging permit. Property Owners are subject to fines up to \$3,000 and possible permit revocation if their tenants are issued a Disturbance Advisement Card and/or Loud and Unruly Gathering Ordinance notice. As part of this enforcement, Code Enforcement Officer John Murray participated in the City team that maintained order, particularly on the Balboa Peninsula, on the Fourth of July.



CITY MANAGER'S NEWSLETTER
Finance Department

Date: July 7, 2017
To: Dave Kiff, City Manager
From: Dan Matusiewicz, Finance Director
Subject: City Manager's Newsletter

Donations & Grants

The City Manager accepted the following donations or grants on behalf of the City during the quarter ending June 30, 2017. Council Policy F-3, Section D.2, states that the Council is to be formally notified each quarter of the acceptance of such funds. A total of \$13,793.00 was accepted.

Source	Date	Amount	Use
NEWPORT BEACH PUBLIC LIBRARY FOUNDATION	4-21-17	\$9,300.00	Donor-restricted gifts for collection materials, literacy services, and programming.
CA OFFICE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES	5-01-17	\$4,493.00	911 for Kids Educational Materials

City of Newport Beach Finance Department Welcomes Matt Chong!



Matthew Chong has accepted the position of Payroll Fiscal Specialist and we are so excited to have him as part of our team. Matt has purchasing and payroll experience from the private sector and is a graduate of UCI with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Economics.

One of the things that he is most proud of is that he recently became a father! He and baby Tobias are huge Los Angeles Lakers fans! Matt also enjoys staying active and playing basketball, volleyball, baseball, and football.

Please stop by to meet and say “hello” to Matt; he is located in Bay C, the second level.



Newport Beach Fire Department

Safety, Service & Professionalism

DATE: July 7, 2017
TO: Dave Kiff, City Manager
FROM: Chip Duncan, Fire Chief
SUBJECT: CITY MANAGER'S NEWSLETTER



FIRE OPERATIONS DIVISION

BUSY FOURTH OF JULY

The fire department participated in multiple community events and parades throughout the day all over the city.

Events included:

- American Legion Pancake Breakfast
- 4th of July is for Families Parade
- Harbor View Community Bike Parade
- St. Laurent 4th of July Parade
- Mariners Park 4th of July Parade
- Ford Road 4th of July Bike Parade





Newport Fire Truck 63 responded to a sheared fire hydrant on the 4th of July.

TRAINING

During the month of June, all members of the fire department received training on career survival. The course was taught by a retired Burbank Police Captain and a Retired Los Angeles City Fire Chief, who outlined many of the pitfalls we have experienced in public safety. The training focused on members learning to avoid these issues and acting professionally both on and off duty. They emphasized the importance of knowing and abiding by your standard operating procedures and department policies. The training was well received and our members appreciated the experiences shared.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES (EMS) DIVISION

JUNE STATS



Total Dispatches of All Types.....	1,005
Medical Aid Dispatches.....	743 = 74% of 1,005
Total Medic Transports to Hospital.....	547

In the first six months of 2017, our overall call volume is remaining relatively stable compared to this same time in 2016.

Jan –June 2017 Patient Stats:

Total Cardiac and/or Respiratory Arrest patients: **126 (Patients in Cardiac or Respiratory Arrest are not breathing on their own and may not have a pulse either)**

Total critically injured trauma patients requiring a designated Trauma Hospital: **82**

Total patients requiring immediate Cardiovascular Center intervention for a possible heart attack based on paramedic evaluation/care: **56**

Total Stroke patients requiring immediate Stroke Center intervention for possible stroke based on paramedic evaluation/care: **64**

Our Firefighter EMT's and Paramedics are thoroughly and accurately assessing patients for life altering/life threatening medical emergencies, caring for critically ill or injured patients and ensuring they are taken to the hospital most able to handle their emergency.



MARINE OPERATIONS DIVISION

JUNIOR LIFEGUARDS

On Tuesday, June 27, we kicked off the beginning of the 2017 Junior Lifeguard Program! It was an epic day with a lot of excitement and great weather.

In addition to the NBJG staff, we had special guests: Fire Chief Chip Duncan, EMS Division Chief Kristin Thompson, Chief Lifeguard Rob Williams, Assistant Fire Chief Jeff Boyles, Police Chief Jon Lewis, and Lifeguard Battalion Chief Brent Jacobsen.

This year the NBJG teams are promoting the “3 Rs”...Respect, Represent, Responsible!



Junior Lifeguards concluded Week 1 with a visit from Olympic gold medalist and former NBJG, Kaleigh Gilchrist! We are honored Kaleigh took time out of her busy schedule to talk to our JGs about her important role as a leader in our community. She is a fantastic example of the “3 Rs”!



FOURTH OF JULY AT THE BEACH

The holiday weekend brought great weather, surf and large crowds. There were more than 75 lifeguards on-duty daily protecting our beaches.

Statistics from the weekend:

Lifeguard Statistics for July 1 - 4, 2017

Public assists	3,180
Boat calls	38
Code enforcement	1,282
Preventatives	6,486
Rescues	282
Animal calls	72
First Aid/medical calls	141
Total calls	12,304
Beach Population	417,000



BEN CARLSON ANNIVERSARY

July 6, 2017, marked the three-year anniversary of Lifeguard Ben Carlson's tragic death. At 5:18 p.m., Ben Carlson entered from the Lifeguard Boat at 16th Street to rescue a swimmer in distress. Both were hit by a large set of waves and Ben did not resurface. Body boarders nearby helped the victim to the boat. A search ensued for Ben that lasted three hours before he was recovered some 12 streets away.

Lifeguard boats assembled on the anniversary of Ben Carlson's death and made a radio call in memory of Ben. The City also held a moment of silence outside of City Hall.



The Ben Carlson statue recently received an addition. His story has been added to the back of the statue. The statue is located at McFadden Square. If you are in the area, please take a moment to read his story and reflect on a Newport Beach Hero.





HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

CITY MANAGER'S NEWSLETTER

DATE: July 7, 2017

TO: Dave Kiff, City Manager

FROM: Barbara J. Salvini, Human Resources Director

SUBJECT: News and Updates from Human Resources

CAL STATE FULLERTON - LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

Please join us in congratulating the newest graduates of the Cal State Fullerton Leadership Development for Public Agencies program:



- ❖ Shaun Tormey, Inventory Analyst
- ❖ Rebecca Lightfoot, Librarian II
- ❖ Susie Digiovanna, Recreation Supervisor
- ❖ Faz Kiatkwankul, Sr. IT Apps Analyst

The Leadership Development for Public Agencies program began in 2009 and offers curriculum tailored to the needs of municipalities and special districts. Professionals with extensive experience in the public sector share their knowledge on topics including effective presentations, group facilitation, leading change, financial management and leadership development. While classes are usually held at the CSUF campus in Garden Grove, the spring class was offered for the first time at the Irvine campus.

Forty-one employees from the City have graduated from the CSFU Leadership Development program.



2ND QUARTER PROMOTIONS & NEW HIRES – FULL TIME

Please congratulate our colleagues on their well-deserved promotions and welcome the City's newest employees!

PROMOTIONS

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Patrick Achis – Department Assistant

LIBRARY

Emily Chiu – Library Clerk II

MUNICIPAL OPERATIONS

Dan Nissen – Equipment Maintenance Supervisor

POLICE

Zachary Michael – Police Recruit

RECREATION & SENIOR SERVICES

Cody Huson – Recreation Supervisor

NEW HIRES

CITY ATTORNEY

Ann Ewing – Deputy City Attorney

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Melissa Kubischta – Civil Engineer Plan Check

HUMAN RESOURCES

Tosha Sanchez – Department Assistant

FIRE

Erika Rivera – Administrative Assistant
to the Fire Chief

LIBRARY

Claire Leach – Library Clerk I

MUNICIPAL OPERATIONS

Shelby Morgan – Management Assistant

POLICE

Mark C. Hamilton – Police Officer
Tyler Machado – Police Officer
Adam Daymude – Police Recruit



INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DIVISION

City Manager's Newsletter



To: Dave Kiff, City Manager

From: Rob Houston, Deputy City Manager

Date: July 7, 2017

Moving Forward – A Note From Rob Houston

The City's IT Team has spent the last 5 years working on a Strategic Plan to upgrade and improve our IT infrastructure, software and services. This task has included a new Data Center, new document management software (Laserfiche), upgraded microwave City network, new GIS mapping tools (GeoCortex), mobile app (MyNB), digital Council Chamber voting, and a little thing called the Tyler Munis ERP system just to name a few things. I am honored to have shared this journey with our smart and talented IT team and am really impressed by the amount of work they have accomplished over that time. The work continues with work beginning to determine what software products will replace our Permitting system and our Library system. I am happy to report that there are good people within the IT team ready to take on new responsibilities when the need arises. With my moving on to a new opportunity, the leadership of the IT Team will be passed to Jackie Luengas-Alwafai as she becomes the Interim IT Manager after many years serving as the IT Applications Supervisor. I am confident that Jackie will keep the IT team moving forward with pace and quality service. Thank you for the opportunity to work with you all.

Focus on Staff – Martin Elias

Favorite Hobby: As a young adult, one of my favorite hobbies was working on my muscle car. When I was a teenager, I owned a 1968 Chevy Chevelle SS that was passed down to me by my late father. Since then I have had a passion for muscle cars. I spend a lot of time at car shows and antique swap meets, hoping to find another 1968 SS. Another hobby of mine is taking care of my yard; people always ask why I do not have a gardener doing my yard work and my response has been that I take pride in taking care of it myself.

Family/Friend Highlights:

My wife and I have been together 20 years and married 14 years. I have a stepson that is 22 years old. We have a family dog named Rufus; he is a 120-pound baby and a useless guard dog that is always caught sleeping on the job.

I have six brothers and one sister. My wife comes from a large family as well; she has four brothers and four sisters. We always have a blast when both families come together for different celebrations.

How long have you worked for the City? I have worked for the city for 22 years.

What did you do before that? Before working for the City, I worked for a small engineering company doing Cad work designing airline fasteners.

Current Role: GIS Technician

What you like about working here: I enjoy being out in the field solving problems and helping others. I also really enjoy camaraderie and the support I get from my colleagues.

Interesting fact about you? My wife and I grew up on the same street, seven houses down from each other. We went to the same elementary, junior high and high school. I have known her pretty much my whole life.





LIBRARY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Library – Cultural Arts



July 7, 2017

To: Dave Kiff, City Manager

From: Tim Hetherton, Library Services Director

Subject: City Manager's Newsletter

Library Services

Summer Reading Program.

The Summer Reading Program is in full swing at all the NBPL locations. Over 500 kids and parents have already attended special programs since Opening Day on June 24 and children are already turning in completed game sheets. Last week, magician Allen Oshiro captivated all ages with his incredible illusions. This week the kids took their imagination to new heights building cities made out of boxes of all shapes and sizes.

American Library Association Conference

Alex Jenkins, Julie Duncan and Helen Medina attended the ALA Annual Chicago Conference on June 22-27. The conference was a good opportunity for them to learn about new library products and services that could improve our service to the public. They also attended many seminars that focused on topics such as mentoring, leadership, literacy, social work in libraries and etiquette when assisting people with disabilities.



Kim Crawford Retirement

Staff gathered on Thursday to wish longtime staff member Kim Crawford well in her retirement. Kim had been with the Library almost 27 years. She combined personal graciousness and approachability with a great work ethic. Kim has been a great colleague and friend and she will be hard to replace and greatly missed.



New Restrooms

The Central Library and Mariners Branch Library both opened refurbished public restrooms last week. The fixtures were all replaced with new low flow fixtures that are up to current code standards. Beautiful new tile and light fixtures were added to brighten up the rooms. The children's bathroom at the Central Library was also recently renovated.



Cultural Arts Services

New Arts Commissioners

The Newport Beach City Arts Commission welcomes two new Arts Commissioners, Miriam Baker and Grace Divine. Grace Divine is a local artist who owns the Bee Regal Gallery in Santa Ana. She is a writer, lecturer and art curator with a MA in Arts and Humanities. Miriam Baker, a long time Balboa Island resident, is known for her distinguished sculptures, prominently displayed at many local venues, such as the Ronald Reagan statue in Bonita Canyon Park, *Sunset Years* on Balboa Island, and a series of busts at Chapman University. Lynn Selich, the current Chair of the Arts Commission, was reappointed to serve another term.

Concerts on the Green: Flashback Heart Attack

Summer Concerts on the Green are about to begin. We anticipate that 2,500 – 3,000 people will fill up the Civic Center Green to enjoy the music, with the first concert on July 9, featuring Flashback Heart Attack. The group is praised for their spot-on renditions of the great hits of the 80's. In fact, Flashback Heart Attack was voted best live band/rock band by OC Weekly for seven years in a row. The talented musicians have worked with a slew of top 80's bands, including Alice Cooper, Green Day, Teri Nunn – Berlin, Dale Bozzio, Missing Persons, Kevin Cronin – REO Speed Wagon, A Flock of Seagulls, The Romantics, Naked Eyes, Dramarama, Bow Wow Wow, The Motels, When in Rome, and others, so we can expect a fun, high-energy show.



Pacific Symphony Concert

The City Arts Commission is very pleased that the City is supporting the return of the Pacific Symphony to the Civic Center Green on Sunday, July 17. Newport Beach will host the opening event in the Symphony in the Cities series. Maestro Carl St.Clair will conduct the orchestra performing a variety of music, including songs from Broadway musicals and popular movies, interspersed with some classical works and patriotic tunes. The concert will feature talented young violinists Danielle and Sarah Liu, Yaya Dance Academy, and the Southern California Children's Chorus. The repertoire will include: The Star Spangled Banner, Overture to Candide, Mambo from West Side Story, Blue Danube Waltz, Air on a G String, Superman March, E. T. The Extra Terrestrial: Flying Theme, America the Beautiful, God Bless America and more.

The City of Newport Beach and Pacific Symphony
present **Symphony in the Cities**
Sunday July 16 Newport Beach

Sponsored by **CITY NATIONAL BANK**
The way up.



FREE ADMISSION & FREE PARKING

5:30pm Pre-concert entertainment and Musical Playground

7:00pm Pacific Symphony concert led by Maestro Carl St.Clair

Bring beach chairs, blankets and a picnic dinner to enjoy the entertainment.

Barcelona OnTheGo and the Bakerytruck food trucks on-site



NEWPORT BEACH CIVIC CENTER
100 Civic Center Drive, Newport Beach
www.NewportBeachCa.gov/CulturalArts





MUNICIPAL OPERATIONS DEPARTMENT

July 7, 2017

TO: Dave Kiff, City Manager

FROM: George Murdoch and Mike Pisani, Directors

SUBJECT: City Manager's Newsletter

MOD Preps and Takes Down for the Fourth

The 4th of July is one of the busiest holidays for the Municipal Operations Department.

Prior to the 4th: MOD crews assisted the Police Department in setting up cones and message boards, providing barricades and assisting with lane closures for the Lido Island, Balboa Peninsula, and Channel Park parades.

On the morning of the 5th, crews from the General Services and Utilities Divisions started at 5 a.m. removing trash and litter from the beaches, surrounding sidewalks and streets. By mid-morning, the beach areas were clean!



A big thank you goes out to all staff members who came to work bright and early to ensure that the City continues to be a popular destination for visitors and is still rated as one of the nicest coastlines to visit in California. Great job to all involved.

King Tides – Summer 2017

The second of three extreme high tide series that began this summer season has passed without any significant incidents. Tides reached 7'9" on June 22 and June 23. On June 24 the tide reached 8'. The tides were running between .8' to 1' higher than predicted.



When tides are this high the water nears the top of many seawalls. Thirteen MOD staff members came in during the evening hours to operate portable pumps at various locations around the Newport Peninsula and Balboa Island. The pumping operations kept streets and private properties dry. MOD staff members have been monitoring the tide height overages leading up to

this King Tide series and made the determination to place over 2,000 sand bags at low lying seawalls to slow down any bay water that may breach the seawalls.



These locations were located at the Balboa Fun Zone and the boat yards at 21st Street and 26th Street. The next series of high tides pushing 8 feet will occur July 20 through July 23. Mother Nature's tide may hit 8 feet on the evening of Saturday, July 22.

Summer Inlet Guards Installation

The Storm Drain Maintenance Crew is re-installing inlet guards in front of area catch basins. Staff has 435 of these inlet guards to install at various locations with high pedestrian foot traffic. The inlet guard has proven to be an excellent tool for the City in its fight to keep debris from roadways and finding its way into our harbor and ocean. The program was implemented by the City 15 years ago. The inlet guards are installed after the rainy season (which was longer this year) and removed before the first rains of the fall season.





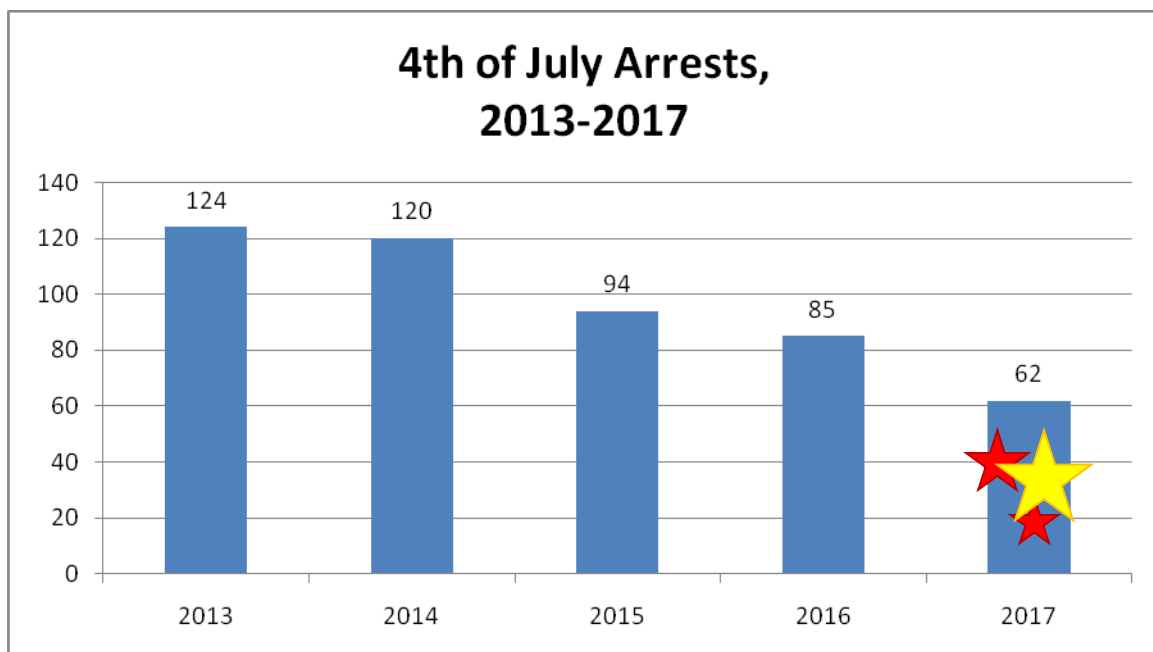
NEWPORT BEACH POLICE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

TO: Dave Kiff, City Manager
FROM: Jon T. Lewis, Chief of Police
DATE: July 7, 2017
SUBJECT: CITY MANAGER'S NEWSLETTER

FOURTH OF JULY RECAP

It was another safe Fourth of July holiday in Newport Beach! Residents and visitors enjoyed the beaches, fireworks shows and general merrymaking—all with less police activity than in previous years.

The Police Department's official 4th of July deployment period runs from 6 p.m. on July 3 to 6 a.m. on July 5. The last time Independence Day fell on a Tuesday was 2006, and we had 110 arrests during that same 36-hour period. Last year, we had the lowest number of arrests in recent memory, with just 85. And this year continued the downward trend: we arrested 62 people during the holiday deployment period. During this same timeframe, our dispatchers expertly handled 978 calls for service, which is about 100 fewer calls than we had last year.



The Police Department took a more proactive stance against illegal fireworks this year. In advance of the holiday, we set up a fireworks hotline to address resident concerns and questions. During the holiday weekend and the 4th of July itself, we maintained our focus, encouraging residents to report fireworks in their neighborhoods and using field officers to intervene in fireworks activity.

Our Detective Division also conducted undercover operations to address the sale of illegal fireworks through Craigslist and other online classified ads. We made seven arrests and seized over 1,000 pounds of Dangerous Fireworks with one arrest yielding more than 650 pounds alone. I am proud to say that we prevented those fireworks—and any property damage, fires, or injuries that might have resulted from them—from affecting our city.

I would like to thank every NBPD employee who worked on the 4th of July or at any point during this holiday weekend. My thanks also go out to all of the members of outside agencies who assisted us from Orange PD, Irvine PD, California Highway Patrol, the Orange County Sheriff's Department and the Orange County Regional Mounted Enforcement Unit. And, last but certainly not least, we are always grateful for the support and partnership of the other city departments. We all worked together to make sure that this Independence Day was a success for our community.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS: NATIONAL NIGHT OUT IS AUGUST 1

For those who may not know, National Night Out is an annual event where residents throughout the country are asked to lock their doors, turn on their outside lights and spend the evening out with neighbors and police.

The Newport Beach Police Department will be hosting a Community Safety Fair at Bonita Canyon Sports Park between 4 p.m. and 7 p.m. on Tuesday, August 1. Come join us for fun, food, information, and entertainment! Here are some of the displays and activities we have planned:

- S.W.A.T.
- CSI
- Games
- Police K9s
- C.E.R.T.
- Bike Safety
- Free Food
- Crime Prevention
- Balloon Art
- Face Painting
- Bounce House
- Animal Control
- Police Vehicles
- Mounted Unit

NEWPORT BEACH POLICE DEPARTMENT

Celebrates
34th Annual


National NIGHT OUT

America's Night Out Against Crime!




JOIN US FOR AN EVENING AT THE PARK



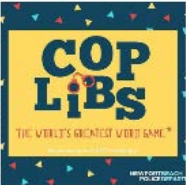
TUESDAY, AUGUST 1ST
4:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.
BONITA CANYON SPORTS PARK




VISIT WWW.NBPD.ORG FOR MORE INFORMATION.

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FOLLOW US ON INSTAGRAM!

The NBPD is now on Instagram. You can find us posting photos and graphics under the handle [@newportbeachpd](https://www.instagram.com/newportbeachpd).

If you aren't already following us on Twitter ([@newportbeachpd](https://twitter.com/newportbeachpd)) and Facebook ([@newportbeachpolice](https://www.facebook.com/newportbeachpolice)), we would love to have you join us there as well.

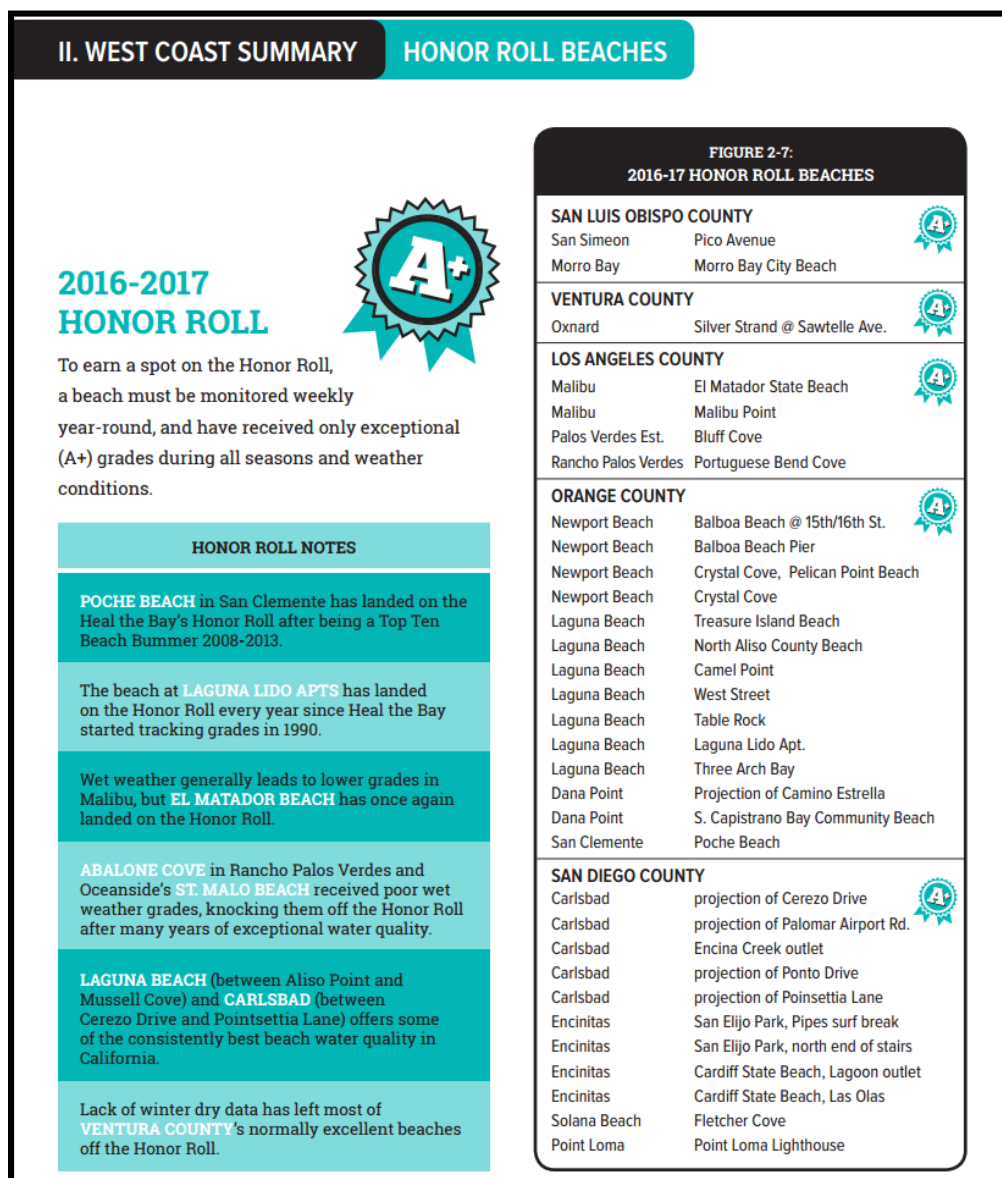


To: Dave Kiff, City Manager
From: David A. Webb, Public Works Director
Date: July 7, 2017

Heal The Bay's 2016-2017 Annual Beach Report Card

Heal the Bay recently released their annual beach report card that assigns grades (A-F) to over 400 beaches up and down the California Coast. The ratings are based on an analysis of the levels of weekly bacterial pollution.

Due to our excellent water quality, The City of Newport Beach has the distinction of capturing honor roll status at four of our beaches.



Harbor Operations is Up and Going!

This past Fourth of July weekend marked the inauguration of the City's new Harbor Operations Division. City Harbormaster, Dennis Durgan, and his crew of Harbor Service Workers patrolled the waters during the holiday festivities. The new team consists of experienced boaters, law enforcement, lifeguards, sailing instructors and licensed captains.

Throughout the weekend, staff assisted stranded paddle boaters and lost boats, collected debris and trash, assisted boats onto their moorings, kept boats from speeding or leaving large wakes and kept sea lions at bay.

The group is very excited to be the City's ambassadors on the water, and all are looking forward to promoting safe boating, a clean harbor and a good time had by all.



Slurry Seal Program

The Slurry Seal Program is nearing completion and thermoplastic traffic control markings are being applied to streets in the Dover Shores and Bay Knolls communities. Mariners Library and Westcliff Park have been seal coated and striped.

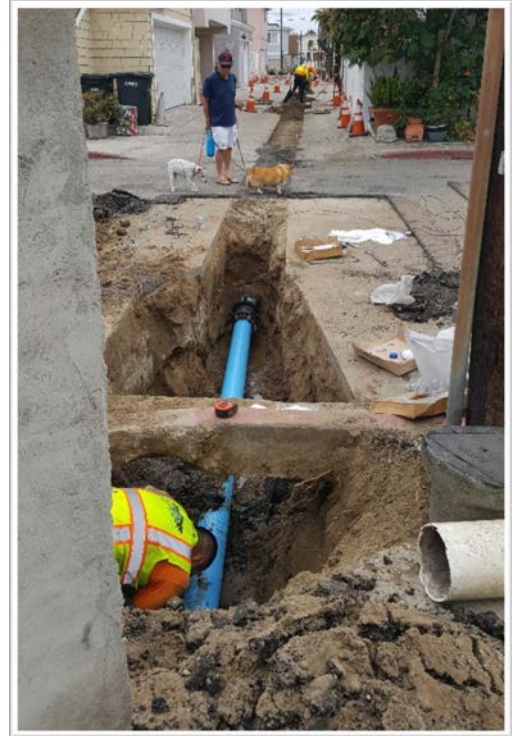


Lido Village & West Newport Water Main Replacement

Construction for the Lido Village and West Newport Water Main Replacement project continues to progress. The contractor (Paulus Engineering, Inc.) began work on May 8 and has already completed water main improvements related to the Lido House Hotel development located on 32nd Street, valve replacements in West Newport and water line replacement for the alley located between 44th/43rd Street and Balboa Boulevard and River Avenue.

Water replacement work for the alley located between 43rd/42nd Street and Balboa Boulevard and River Avenue is scheduled to start July 10, with an approximate completion date of July 28.

In August, the contractor will be replacing an old cast iron water main located on 32nd Street between Villa Way and Lafayette Avenue in time for street paving work associated with the Lido House Hotel development.



*New Water Main – Alley between
44th/43rd Street and Balboa Blvd and
River Avenue*

Newport Heights Alley Replacement Project

The City of Newport Beach retained NOBEST as the contractor for the Newport Heights Alley Replacement project. This project will also include a new sidewalk on 15th Street from Santa Ana Avenue to St. Andrews Road, and sidewalk on Irvine Avenue and Cliff Drive by Ensign Middle School to connect the existing sidewalks.

The Contractor will soon begin sidewalk construction work on 15th Street and Irvine Avenue. NOBEST is required to complete the sidewalk work within 30 days to avoid work after the new school year begins. Alley replacement work will follow immediately after.



Weather permitting, during the week of July 24, the contractor will start removing trees and shrubs on 15th Street as the first item of work. Then, the contractor will set forms for the new sidewalks, alley approaches, access ramps, and pour concrete. After the concrete work is completed, new trees will be planted.

We are excited that this project is finally coming to fruition and are very thankful for the community and 15th Street residents' participation in the tree choices and landscaping for the sidewalk construction.

Bonita Canyon Sport Park Pickleball Courts

Bonita Canyon Sports Park is busy, with active construction of four new pickleball courts.

Recently, the contractor finished installing the sight drainage system and is working on completing the retaining wall. Once the retaining wall is installed, they will re-install the reclaimed water mainline, which provides water for the entire Bonita Canyon Park.

Throughout the next few weeks the contractor will be preparing the site for the installation of the pickleball courts.



Update on the Santa Ana Delhi Diversion Project

Work is proceeding apace on the Santa Ana Delhi Diversion project with 120 feet of flood control channel removed. Installed sumps now control groundwater, allowing construction of a new channel bottom configured to channel flows into a diversion assembly that will be constructed on the east side of the flood channel. An additional four weeks is needed to complete construction of the new channel bottom and new flood channel stem wall.

The Santa Ana Delhi Diversion Project is located in the flood control channel that runs through the Newport Beach Golf Course. The project will capture all dry weather flow and divert it to the sanitary sewer. It will also capture trash, including trash carried in a first flush storm. The City of Newport Beach initiated project planning in 2012. The construction of the \$9.3 million dollar project is being managed by the City of Santa Ana.

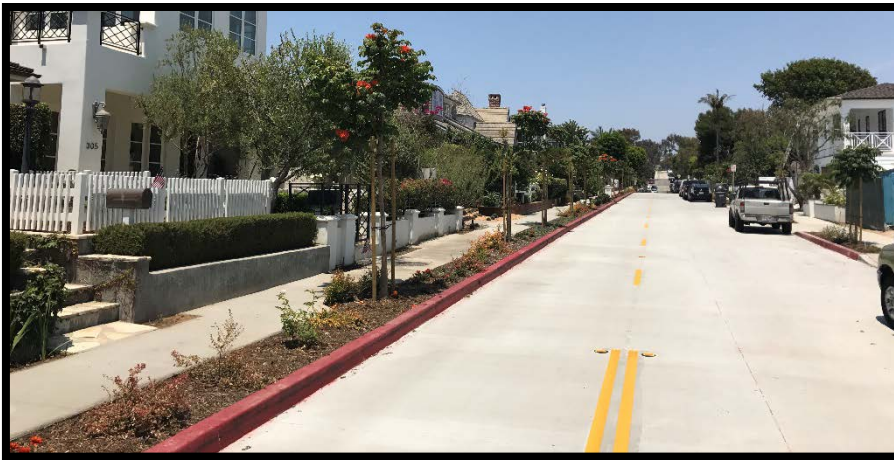


Annual Concrete Replacement Program



The Concrete Replacement Program is now underway in the neighborhood around Mariners Elementary school. The City is improving the access ramps and sidewalks on the streets that are used for school dropoff areas. The contractor has already replaced over 22,000 square feet of sidewalk in the Dover shores and Bay Knolls communities.

Poppy Avenue and Ocean Boulevard in Full Bloom!



Poppy Avenue is in bloom. The new landscaping and parkway trees are thriving in the summer sun. When visiting Corona del Mar, be sure to walk down to the latest public works project that improves pedestrian access to the beach.



Public Works – A Well-Engineered Machine

TROLLEY RIDERSHIP CONTINUES TO INCREASE

The combined ridership for the July 1st and 2nd weekend and 4th of July was approximately 5,000 trips. 4th of July doubled what we saw on July 2. With the ridership so strong on July 4, our capacity was exceeded by noon and OCTA was called in to assist with the overload. They provided two full size buses for the remainder of the day. That helped tremendously in shortening the line at Hoag and transporting the crowds off the Peninsula after the fireworks stopped. The following are the highlights from the 4th of July alone:

- *Almost 3,000 riders on the 4th of July (including OCTA)*
- *Lines of 100+ at the Hoag lot*
- *Close to 200 cars at peak in the Hoag lot*
- *OCTA buses carried over 600 people during the 11 hours they were providing back-up service to the trolley*
- *Many times the trolley was too full to pick-up at the next stop*
- *Longest wait for trolley was 30 minutes with wait times of 15 minutes being the average*
- *Roundtrip times were 1.5 hours due to heavy traffic with 1 hour being the average during peak times*
- *Last shuttle left Balboa at 10:28 p.m. and did not return to the Hoag lot until 11:45 p.m.*



Recreation & Senior Services DEPARTMENT

To: Dave Kiff, City Manager
From: Laura Detweiler, Recreation & Senior Services Director
Date: July 7, 2017



INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS!

Over 5,000 residents and visitors were able to enjoy an exciting parade marching through their neighborhood followed by a grand celebration at Mariners Park on Tuesday, 4th of July. The parade featured: Newport Beach Police and Fire, Mayor Kevin Muldoon, Council Member Will O'Neill, Parks, Beaches & Recreation Commissioner Laird Hayes, Noble Cause Foundation Dancers and WWII Jeeps, Orange Coast Musical Arts Marching Band, Mariner's Elementary School Teacher of the Year, Student Council Co-Presidents, and the winner of the Most Patriotic Marlin contest. Last, but not least, the parade ended with festive bikes, strollers and wagons.



The event included food, inflatables, and lots of field games. This was a great way to start off the 4th of July and see firsthand how Parks Make Life Better! The community had a fun, safe and festive time.



On the other side of town, the 7th Annual 4th of July is for Families event held in West Newport Beach was also a huge success. The event started at 36th Street with a bike parade down Balboa Boulevard to Channel Place Park. The parade was led by Cub Scout Packs 10 and 316, as well as Council Members Diane Dixon and Scott Peotter. The Lido Fire Engine, Antique Police Car, Police Chief Lewis and family, then followed with approximately 700 other participants trailing at the end in their festive attire.

Once the participants arrived at Channel Place Park, the festival began and included carnival games, bounce houses, giant slides, a dunk tank, face painters, game master, and crafts. Additionally, there were delicious food options provided thanks to the food sponsors: Chronic Taco, Pie Not, Starbucks and Kona Ice. Thanks also go out the event sponsors, Nicolai Glazer Real Estate Group, Hoag Hospital, BW Realty, West Newport Beach Association, and Balport Grocery.

Both events were a huge success and were greatly appreciated by the community. Thank you to all the staff, volunteers, sponsors and committee members that help make events such as these possible!





DOG DAYS OF SUMMER

On Tuesday, June 20, OASIS held its first-ever, Dog Days of Summer event in the courtyard. Over 50 people and dogs attended the relaxed, social gathering to officially kick off summer and raise some funds for the new, Friends of the Newport Beach Animal Shelter. Donations to the non-profit were accepted for both human and dog treats. Over \$100 was donated to the organization.



SILVER GLOVE FITNESS CLASS DEBUT

On Thursday, June 29, OASIS offered its first older adult, boxing class. Andrew Deming, OASIS personal trainer and a certified Rock Steady Boxing instructor led the participants through a variety of drills including ab work, jump rope, ladder/agility drills and shadow boxing.

Regular classes started Thursday, July 5. For more information, please call OASIS at 949-644-3244 or email OASISCenter@newportbeachca.gov.

WELCOME MATT & KRISTEN!

Please join us in welcoming our two latest additions to the City and Department. Congratulations to Matt and Kristen who are now part of the OASIS team!

Matthew Palmer joined OASIS as a Senior Recreation Leader in May. He comes with experience from the City of Costa Mesa in their after school program ROCKS, and Hotel Irvine as the Customer Experience Agent. Matthew is going to school currently for a degree in Computer Information Systems in the Business Field. In his free time, he likes to participate in extracurricular activities such as ultimate frisbee, hiking, running, and almost any other sport. He is also an avid snowboarder and tries to go a few times a year during the winter.



Kristen Rivera joined the OASIS team in May as a Recreation Leader. She is currently studying Communications at Cal State Long Beach and would like to pursue a career in real estate. Kristen is currently studying diligently for the California Real Estate Exam and hopes to be licensed by December. Kristen ran track and cross country with Coach Sumner at Corona del Mar High School and had a great time going to CIF and the State Championship all four years!

Along with working for the City of Newport Beach, Kristen is also a nanny and has worked as one for the last four years and loves it! When she isn't busy at OASIS or working with her favorite kids, Kristen enjoys going to the beach and hiking with friends.



THINGS TO DO IN: Newport Beach

NEWPORT BEACH CITY ARTS COMMISSION PRESENTS

CONCERTS on the FREE! GREEN

Sundays from 6:00 -7:30 pm

July 9 **FLASHBACK HEART ATTACK**
Best of the 80's

July 16 **PACIFIC SYMPHONY**
5:30 - Musical Playground
7-8:30 - Concert

Aug 6 **THE TUJANA DOGS**
Rock, jazz, R & B, country

Sept 3 **NIGHT SHIFT**
Dynamic pop rock ensemble

Bring blankets, beach chairs and a picnic dinner,
or purchase items from food trucks on-site.



Newport Beach Civic Center Green
100 Civic Center Drive, Newport Beach
newportbeachca.gov/culturalarts
facebook.com/newportbeacharts

THE WHAT AND WHERE:

BUCK GULLY LOOP HIKE FREE

6 mile hike - moderate. Hikers meet at Aux. Lot on 5th and Marguerite.
Registration is required and available online at www.LetsGoOutside.org.

CONCERTS ON THE GREEN "FLASHBACK HEART ATTACK" FREE

More information listed on the flyer to the left.

CIVIC CENTER GREEN - 100 Civic Center Drive, NB 92660

MARINE PROTECTED AREA HIKE FREE

Join Natural Resources Staf on a guided 2.6 mile hike through Newport
Beach's Crystal Cove State Marine Conservation area.

LITTLE CORONA BEACH BY LIFEGUARD TOWER #7

CONCERTS ON THE GREEN "PACIFIC SYMPHONY" FREE

More information listed on the flyer to the left.

CIVIC CENTER GREEN - 100 Civic Center Drive, NB 92660

CONCERTS IN THE COURTYARD "ABBFAB" \$10/PERSON

Abba tribute band. Fee includes food.

OASIS - 801 Narcissus Ave, CdM

MONTHLY BEACH CLEANUP FREE

Help keep our beaches and oceans clean and healthy. Participants can
meet at **WESTCLIFF PARK** - Polaris Dr and Morning Star Ln

FALL REGISTRATION BEGINS

Registration for fall classes begins. Register early before your favorite
programs fill. www.newportbeachca.gov/recreation.

THE WHEN:

SAT. JULY 8
8-11:30AM

SUN. JULY 9
6-7:30PM

SAT. 7/15
7-9AM

SUN. 7/16
5:30-8:30PM

SAT. 7/22
7-8:30PM

SAT. 7/29
9AM-NOON

THU. 8/3
8AM

Save the Date

SIGN UP STARTS
AUGUST 3RD AT 8AM

PRESCHOOL 101 AND
ACTIVE KIDS

ONLINE ONLY AT

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MOVIE IN THE PARK

AUGUST 25TH, 2017
COMMUNITY YOUTH CENTER
3000 FIFTH AVE, CORONA DEL MAR, CA 92625

Free
Popcorn

Free
Candy

Food for
Purchase

EVENT STARTS AT 6:45



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Something to Ponder

"Nearly all my principal concerns - quality of life, economic redevelopment, child protection, even crime reduction -
were enhanced by well-tended, safe, beautiful parks."

-Rudy Guiliani